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Francis Johnson late of St Maryes County was
Attached to Answer unto George Tyte Marriner
of a plea of trespasse upon the case

And whereupon the said George Tyte by Robert Ridgely his Attorney complaineth, that whereas he the said George Tyte is a good faithfull honest & just man, & so from the tyme of his nativity in the Kingdome of England & in this Province hath well honestly & justly beheaved & demeaned himselfe, & was so known & reputed both in England & in this Province to have behaved & carryed himselfe & to be of a good name fame reputacon and creditt amongst all the good people that he from tyme to either in Bristoll or in this Province hath had occasion to deale trade traffick or comerce with, & from tyme to tyme for this foure yeares last past hath brought into this Province divers & considerable quantities & Cargoes of goods & Mrchandizes which he hath vended & sould to the Inhabitants of this Province, to his very great profitt benifitt & advantage, & for the same hath bin paid in tobacco by the Inhabitants of this Province, which he hath carryed out of this Province into England, & there vended & sould the same to his very great advantage, by meanes whereof he had not only procured to himselfe a comfortable maintenance & livelyhood, but was in great creditt fame and reputacon with most of the eminent persons as well of the City of Bristoll where he lives, as also of this Province where he trades & traffiques as aforesaid. Of which creditt reputacon honesty justnes & faithfullnes of the said George Tyte divers eminent & wealthy persons of the said City of Bristoll Owners of the Shipp Maryland Mrchant of Bristoll aforesaid takeing particuler